



General Assembly

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## ***Amendment***

LCO No. 7251

**\*HB0554207251HD0\***

Offered by:  
REP. ESPOSITO, 116<sup>th</sup> Dist.

To: House Bill No. 5542

File No. 396

Cal. No. 264

### ***"AN ACT REQUIRING THE DISPLAY OF HOUSE NUMBERS."***

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2013*) (a) Each municipality shall,  
4 not later than January 1, 2014, enact an ordinance requiring the owner  
5 of a residential or nonresidential building to affix numerals to such  
6 building indicating the street number assigned to such building by  
7 such municipality or, if there is no record of such assignment, the  
8 street number customarily used for such building.

9 (b) Such ordinance shall provide that the location, type and size of  
10 the numerals be sufficient to ensure their legibility when the building  
11 is viewed from one or more points along the centerline of the street on  
12 which the building fronts and shall require, at a minimum, that such  
13 numerals be:

14 (1) Located on the exterior front of the building or on a post, sign,  
15 mailbox or other device located between the building and the street;

- 16       (2) At least four inches in height;
- 17       (3) Of a color contrasting with the color of the background material
- 18       to which the numerals are affixed; and
- 19       (4) Positioned not less than thirty inches or more than twelve feet
- 20       above the surface of the ground.
- 21       (c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to any municipality
- 22       that has, prior to the effective date of this section, adopted an
- 23       ordinance requiring the display of street numbers on residential and
- 24       nonresidential buildings."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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| Section 1 | <i>July 1, 2013</i> | New section |
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